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Case SO3352-US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: |

Kasten et al. |

GROUP ART UNIT: 1651

SERIAL NUMBER: 09/888,008 |

EXAMINER: R. J. Gitomer

FILED: June 22, 2001 |

DATE: December 19, 2003

TITLE: ION-EXCHANGE RESIN/ ENZYME ACTIVITY ASSAY

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AMENDMENT & REPLY TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

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Amendments to the claims start on page 2 of the Response.

Remarks start on page 7 of the Response.

Applicants also note that the first inventor's name is spelled Kasten, and not Karsten, as shown.



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